



Source: North Slope Borough Contract Staff (1979).

Figure III-06. Atqasuk Annual Subsistence Cycle. Patterns indicate desired periods for pursuit of each species based upon the relationship of abundance, hunter access, seasonal needs, and desirability. Peaks represent optimal periods of pursuit of subsistence resources. (Data for sheep are unavailable. Whales, seal, walrus, Polar bear, invertebrates, and ocean fish are harvested only out of hunts originating in Barrow.)